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(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b)) Express Mail Label No. EL851565808US APPLICATION ELEMENTS Assistant Commissioner for Patents ADDRESS TO: Box Patent Application See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents. Washington, D.C. 20231 Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17) CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or (Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing) Computer Program (Appendix) Applicant claims small entity status. 8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission See 37 CFR 1.27. (if applicable, all necessary) Specification a. Computer Readable Form (CRF) [Total Pages 52 (preferred arrangement set forth below) Specification Sequence Listing on: - Descriptive title of the invention - Cross Reference to Related Applications CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D paper - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix Statements verifying identity of above copies - Background of the Invention - Brief Summary of the Invention **ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS** - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed) - Detailed Description 9. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s)) - Claim(s) 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement - Abstract of the Disclosure 10 Power of Attorney (when there is an assignee) English Translation Document (if applicable) 4. 🗸 Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total 13 Information Disclosure Copies of IDS 12. Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations Oath or Declaration 3 [Total Pages 13. Preliminary Amendment Newly executed (original or copy) Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) (Should be specifically itemized) b. (for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed) Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed) DELETION OF INVENTOR(S) Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122 i. Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) (b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 named in the prior application, see 37 CFR or its equivalent. 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b). 17. Other: Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76 If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76: Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No.: Prior application information: Examiner Group / Art Unit For CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts. **CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS** Customer Number or Bar Code Label or Correspondence address below (Insert Customer No. of PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE Name Address Citv State Zip Code Country Telephone 972-720-1202 Fax 972-720-1139

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